**HOMEWORK (Term 2 Week 4) 8 KH**

To be completed in your homework book and returned to school on FRIDAY

**The Current Events:**

**Answer these questions and then choose one current event from a newspaper or magazine and write a brief report on it.**

1. An Australian tourist is in hospital after an accident doing what?
2. Services at what type of business came under scrutiny last week? Clue: McDonalds, Petrol Stations, Supermarkets or Movie Theatres.
3. Concern has been raised about the prices being charged for what during the Rugby World Cup next year?
4. Who is the leader of the Conservative Party which won the most seats at this year’s British election?
5. Which country’s debt crisis has led to deadly rioting?
6. Which side won Fridays Anzac League test in Melbourne?
7. The Royal NZ Ballet danced to which artist’s song, creating a YouTube sensation?

**Writing:**

Over the next couple of weeks we are going to take the touch typing challenge. If you go onto the website: [www.sense-lang.org/typing](http://www.sense-lang.org/typing), or find the tutorials, or lessons. Please read the instructions first. This week I would like us to focus on lesson 1 and 2. It does not matter how many times you try these, but I would like your best score for each. That is words per minute and number of errors. Try seeing if you can beat me with 30 words per minute and 25 errors. Remember you can go below and change the background colour if you find the letters hard to read. There are also some games there if you would like more practice. **NB: REMEMBER TO SELECT THE QWERTY Keyboard.**

**Science:**

Draw up an escape plan, discuss this with your family and get one of your parents/ caregivers to sign it off. Remember to get this signed off, as there are several wonderful prizes up for grabs.

**Spelling:**

Prepare for test on Friday

**Reading:**

Read at least 15 minutes every night and log in the back of your book

**EXTRAS:**

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**Thursday –** Town sports starts

Parent Signature: